

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the title to read:

### **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FASTENING STEEL FRAMING WITH A HARPOON NAIL**

Please replace Paragraph [0001] with the following paragraph rewritten in amendment format:

**[0001]** This application is a continuation of United States Patent Application No. 10/176,998 filed on June 21, 2002, now issued as U.S. Patent No. \_\_\_\_\_, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Nos. 60/299,931, filed June 21, 2001, 60/299,954, filed June 21, 2001, 60/299,899, filed June 21, 2001, and 60/299,903, filed June 21, 2001.